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**REPLY/AMENDMENT  
FEE TRANSMITTAL**

Attorney Docket No.	1417.1002cip
Application Number	10/042,216
Filing Date	January 11, 2002
First Named Inventor	Hideya KINOSHITA
Group Art Unit	1711

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AMOUNT ENCLOSED	\$420.00	Examiner Name	Rabon A. Sergent
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**FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)**

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	5	- 6 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	- 1 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of December 16, 2003, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010)):

\$ 420.00

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations =

\$ 420.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 &amp; 1.28)

**TOTAL FEES DUE =**

\$ 420.00

(1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".

(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".

(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.
- ☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.
- ☐ No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION**

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No.

19-3935

Deposit Account Name

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- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

**SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP**

Typed Name William F. Herbert

Reg. No. 31,024

Signature

Date

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Hideya KINOSHITA et al.

Serial No. 10/042,216

Group Art Unit: 1711

Confirmation No. 6978

Filed: January 11, 2002

Examiner: Rabon A. Sergent

For: SOFT POLYURETHANE FOAM

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 – EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**EXAMINING GROUP 1711**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the September 16, 2003 Final Office Action, having a December 16, 2003 response due date, reconsideration is respectfully requested based on the following amendments and remarks.

A Petition for a 2-month extension of time until February 16, 2004, and a \$420.00 fee are included herewith.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this Response.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this Response.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this Response.

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